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1)	Otte, Randy et al. "Understanding CORBA, The Common Object Request Broker Architecture" Prentice-Hall Inc., Upper Saddle River, NJ, 1996.
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